

Community News

From Our Community Oral Health Service

Tooth Decay - This is the most common disease in children. Bugs present in the mouth change sugar into acids, which attack the teeth, making a hole or cavity. The good news is that brushing teeth and eating healthy foods can stop teeth getting holes in them. Stopping teeth from this painful decay is much easier for you and your child than fixing the teeth.

Children's Work

Kowhai Class have been writing bird poems

The Race for the Ostrich

My bird likes to run a fast pace,
Run a fast pace, Run a fast pace,
My bird actually won the race,
On a summery Saturday morning
By Qaiyaan

The Seagull's Dive

Look at the seagull eat a fish,
Eat a fish, eat a fish,
See him dive with a splash
On a summery Saturday morning
By Caiza

The Bird Race

My bird likes to eat bread and jam,
Eat bread and jam,
Eat bread and jam,
On a summery Saturday morning
By Seth

The Coolest Bird Ever

My bird likes to fly around,
Fly around, fly around,
Then it goes down to the ground,
On a summery Saturday morning
By Taylor

My Bird is the Best

My bird is the best,
Is the best, is the best.
My bird built a nest.
On a summery Saturday morning
By Lincoln

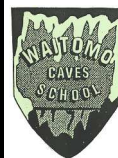
The Killing Eagle

My bald eagle killed a drake,
Killed a drake, killed a drake,
Then he flew to the lake,
On a summery Saturday morning
By Lennox

What's Coming Up At Waitomo Caves School

17 August	Teacher Only Day
22 August	COP's Cross Country – Waitomo
5 September	Parent Meeting
7 September	Quiz Night
14 September	Snow Day Trip
17 September	Hearing and Vision Technician visit
19 September	BOT meeting
28 September	Community Assembly, end of Term 3

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Newsletter

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Whaia te ara totika – Make the Right Choice

Term Three 2012

Week Five – 16 August

Dear Parents and Friends of the School

Tena Koutou Katoa

The newsletter is sent home today due to the Teachers Only Day scheduled for tomorrow.

Thank you for the wonderful turn out today at the Community Assembly, we hope you enjoyed the children's speeches.

Small Schools Cross Country

Yesterday we welcomed St Mary's and Otorohanga Primary Schools to the small school cross country race at the HTG Hut. We had a wonderful team of runners who did extremely well. Many achieved their goals of performing better than the previous year.

Thank you to the fundraising team and those who assisted with the food stall, Alannah, Batch, Marci, Dawn, Melissa, Rena and Myke. We had a wonderful team of marshals, special thanks to Angel, Rudy, Adrian, Julian and Ben Draper.

Congratulations to all runners, the results are as follows:

Year 0 to 2 Girls – Lilly Taane-Edwards 3rd, Zarah Stubbs 4th, Rebekah MacLellan 10th, Katie Townsend 12th, Keira Whitehead 13th, Bohdi Downs 14th. (Lilly 2nd Year 2, Zarah 3rd Year 2)

Year 0 to 2 Boys – Alex Pitts-Brown 1st, Reuben Dimond 2nd, Lennox Gray



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5th, Seth Gray 6th, Taylor Burgess 7th, Henry Murchie 10th, Qaiyaan Hughes 11th, Ashton Burgess 13th, Lincoln Kohe-Love 14th, Caiza Te Kanawa 15th, Jevaahn Costar 17th, Jack Verry 19th, Kupa Taane 20th. (Reuben 1st Year 1, Henry 3rd Year 1, Alex 1st Year 2)

Year 3 & 4 Girls – Keely Gray 1st, Siân Dimond 2nd, Arleyah Henry 5th, Maddison Gray 8th, Te Rito Hughes 11th. (Siân 1st Year 3, Maddison 2nd Year 3, Keely 1st Year 4)

Year 3 & 4 Boys – Devon Anderson 5th, Max Cornes 6th, Elijah Stubbs 9th, Nikhil Shankar 10th, Tame Henry-Wi 11th, Thomas Verry 13th, Rawiri Taane-Edwards 15th. (Max 2nd Year 3)

Year 5 & 6 Girls – Jessie Reardon 3rd, Kyah Cornes 5th. (Kyah 2nd Year 5, Jessie 3rd Year 6)

Year 5 & 6 Boys – Peta Pitts-Brown 3rd, Blaze Cameron 6th, John Batger 12th. (Peta 1st Year 6, Blaze 3rd Year 6)

Year 7 & 8 Girls – Tiana Henry 6th, Tui Davis 11th, Alyssa MacLellan 15th. Year 7 & 8 Boys – Logan Townsend 1st, Te Hurinui Jones 7th, Ratapu Winikerei 9th. (Te Hurinui 3rd Year 7, Logan 1st Year 8)

At this stage Lilly, Zarah, Alex, Reuben, Keely, Siân, Jessie, Peta and Logan will race again on Wednesday at the COP's champion's race on the same course. The briefing will begin at 10.45am followed by the first race at 11.00am in the same order as recorded above. Please come along to support the races and/or help with the food stall. Those not competing will have class as usual.



Rebekah



Katie



Henry



Qaiyaan

Dentist Visits

Dental visits have been scheduled all for students at the mobile dental clinic currently situated at Te Kuiti Primary School. The location of the unit

is beside the tennis courts at Te Kuiti Primary School. If the appointment date or time of your child's annual teeth and mouth hygiene check is not suitable for you please contact the clinic nurse on 0800 825 583 and make alternative arrangements.

Soccer

The Waitomo soccer teams all ended with a very successful season. A wonderful prizegiving was held for all teams recently. Well done everyone and congratulations to the following player of the year recipients Caiza, Taylor, Tame and Rawiri. Sincere thanks to Steve, Myke, Julian and Adrian for coaching. Many players are already looking forward to playing again next year. Thank you to those players who have returned their soccer uniforms. Please return your uniform next week if you haven't already done so.



Wheels on Wednesday

Wheels on Wednesday's are well supported with children bringing several varieties of 'wheels' to school to play with. We look forward to dryer weather so we can perform more moves on the grassed areas. Due to the encouraging support for children and families Wheels on Wednesday will continue for the remainder of this term.

